Presentation & Communication Skills

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Sentence

- A group of words which makes complete sense, is called sentence.
- OR
- A sentence is a group of words that express a complete thought.

For Example:

- 1. Tom is going to play.
- 2. She is sad.

Parts of a sentence

THERE ARE TWO BASIC PARTS OF A SENTENCE.

- 1. SUBJECT
- 2. PREDICATE

Subject:

A subject is the person or thing about which something is being stated.

- **1. Tom** is going to school.
- 2. John went home.
- **3. She** is beautiful.

Predicate:

The predicate is the part of a sentence that tells something about the subject.

The predicate always includes a verb.

- 1. Spain **is in Europe.**
- 2. Goat and cows can't fly.
- 3. He is a good boy.

Types of sentences

THERE ARE FOUR TYPES OF SENTENCES.

- 1. DECLARATIVE SENTENCE
- 2. EXCLAMATORY SENTENCE
- 3. INTERROGATIVE SENTENCE
- 4. IMPERATIVE SENTENCE

Declarative sentence:

A declarative sentence is a sentence that makes a statement.

- 1. Jan is a student.
- 2. He is a social worker.
- 3. Tom is an outstanding student.

Exclamatory sentence:

An exclamatory sentence is a sentence that is said with strong feeling or emotions. (always ends with an exclamation mark)

- Hurrah! We won the World Cup.
- 2. Oh! I have lost my pen.
- 3. Wow! It's a beautiful day.

Interrogative sentence:

An interrogative sentence is a sentence that ask a question and always end with a question mark.

- 1. What is your name?
- 2. Who is he?
- 3. What are you doing?

Imperative sentence:

Imperative sentences expresses command, advice or request.

- 1. Go ahead. (Command)
- 2. Speak the truth. (Advice)
- 3. Please give me your book. (Request)

